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[Despatch Abstract.]

Industries — Sericulture —
Govt Silk Farm, Kollegal. — Manufactu
of Silk fabrics for demonstration
and advertisement — purchase
of silk fabrics over the sanctioned
limit of Rs. 10000/- Order passed

INDUSTRIES AND COMMERCE DEPARTMENT.

No.2621 D/46 dated 6-1-1948

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From
Sri P. Govinda Menon, B.E.,
Joint Director of Industries
and Commerce,
Chepauk, Madras.

To
The Joint Secretary to Government,
Development Department,
Madras.

Sir,

Sub: Industries - Sericulture - Government Silk Filature, Kollegal Manufacture of silk fabrics for demonstration and advertisement.
Ref: G.O.No.Ms.4168 Development dated 7-11-46.

In the G.O. cited, Government were pleased to sanction an expenditure of Rs. 1000/- towards the manufacture of silk fabrics for advertisement and demonstration purposes and for the presentation of small pieces of the same to distinguished and leading personalities visiting the Government Silk Filature, Kollegal. I enclose herewith statement showing the purchases of fabrics made by the General Manager, Government Filature, and the details of the sales and presentations made and the stock on hand. It will be seen that the value of the present stock is only Rs. 656/0/3 and that a small profit of Rs. 4/3/4 has been realised on the sales made. Another statement showing the details of presentations valued at Rs. ~~24-3-6~~ 243-7-6 made to various persons is also enclosed.

The purchase of silk fabrics over and above the sanctioned limit Viz. Rs.1000/- was made in the following circumstances:-

Initial purchases to the extent of Rs. 2330-3-6 were made on the assumption that Government would sanction an expenditure of Rs. 5000/- as requested in this Office letter No. 2612.D/46 dated 22-8-46; the subsequent purchases to the extent of Rs. 252-8-9 were done under the oral approval of Mr. Khaleeli the then Director of Industries and Commerce when he visited Kollegal early in January 1947 and that the presentations of sarees were done by the previous Director.

In the above circumstances I request that, Government may be pleased to approve (1) the action of the General Manager, Government Silk Filature, Kollegal in having purchased silk fabrics over and above the authorised limit of Rs.1000/- sanctioned by Government and (2) The presentations made to various persons for a total value of Rs. 243/7/6.

I have instructed the Sericultural Expert, Kollegal who is now in charge of the Government Silk Filature not to make any further presentations without my prior sanction. I am of the view that there is no necessity to make any further presentation of silk fabrics as I consider it to be of doubtful propaganda value. As regards the ~~stock~~ stock of silk fabrics on hand valued at Rs. 656-0-3, I request that Government may be pleased to permit me to dispose of the same at present market rates.

V. Venkatarayudu
9-1-48
for Joint Director of Industries and Commerce.

Statement showing purchase and disposal of silk fabrics made for presentation and advertisement.

Purchases.		Disposals.	
Purchase from the South Indian Silks Ltd Goudyattam.	Rs. 2063-11-6	Presentations made as per details in statement attached	243-7-6
Do. from silk throwing and weaving factory, Mamballi	Rs. 90-0 -0	Disposal by sale to members of staff and others	1687-7-1
Charges incurred in stiching Kerchiefs.	Rs. 35-0 -0		
Cost of 2 lbs of silk supplied for manufacturing 2 sarees	Rs. 81-8--0		
Making Chages for 2 sarees	Rs. 60-0--0		
Silk fabrics purchased from the Government silk weaving factory, Mysore	Rs. 168-8-9	Closing stock.	656-0-
Do. Government silk throwing andweaving factory, Mamballi	84-0--0		2586-15-1
	Rs. 2582-12-3		

Superintendent

Statement No. 2.

Details of presentations made.

Date of presentation	Particulars.	By whom presented	To whom presented.	Quantity.	Value.
10-8-46	36" Tafetta printed	Director of Industries & Commerce.	Mrs.V.V.Giri	1 Yds.	8--0--6
10/2	Kerchief	-do-	For giving to the colleagues of the Hon'ble Minister.	14 Nos	28-14--0
	-do-	-do-	Mr. A. Khaleeli	1 No.	2--1--0
	-do-	-do-	Hon'ble Minister V.V. Giri	6 "	12--6--0
	-do-	-do-	Mrs.V.V. Giri, her daughter, son, son-in-law.	4 "	8--4--0
	-do-	-do-	Mr. A. Khaleeli's brothers.	2 "	4--2--0
	-do-	-do -	Personal clerk to Director.	1 "	2--1--0
	-do-	-do-	Manager, Director's Office.	1 "	2--1--0
	-do-	-do-	Md. Gulam Badsha Bahadur ~~Entertax~~. Sales Tax.	1 "	2--1--0 0--9--9
22-10-46	Saree	-do-	Mr. V.V.Giri	1 saree	71--8--0
27-11-46	Kerchief	General Manager, G.S.F.	Fuel Economy Officer	1 No.	2--1--3
6-12-46	-do-	-do-	Mrs. & Mr. Morris	2 No.	4--2--0
22-5-47	Saree	Director of Industries and Commerce.	Mrs. Khaleeli	1 Saree	84--0-- 0
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2-6-47	Kerchiefs.	-do-	Sri D.S Raju and Sri P. Satyanarayana Raju	2 Nos.	7--8--0
	-do-	General Manager, G.S.F. Kollegal.	Mr. M.D. Latham and wife.	2 "	3-12--0
					Rs.243-7--6

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SUBJECT :— Industries – Sericulture – Govt Silk Filature, Kollegal – Manufacture of silk fabrics – for demonstration and advertisement – purchase of silk fabrics over the sanctioned limit of Rs 10000/ – orders passed.

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READ AGAIN ..., dated ... G.O No 4168 Dev. Dept 7-11-1946

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READ ALSO :—

No. ... From the Dir of Sc, No. 2626/D/46 dated 6-1-1948

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Order ~~Resolution~~ Ms. Rout. No. 563, dated 5.9 1948

A.M.1 Cf

The Govt approve the action of the General Manager, Govt Silk Filature, Kollegal in having purchased Silk fabrics over and above the authorised limit of Rs 10000/- sanctioned by the Govt in the G.O read above and in having made presentations of these fabrics valued at Rs. 2437-6 to distinguished visitors to the filature

A statement showing purchases and disposal of silk fabrics made for presentation and advertisement is appended to this order

2 The Director of Industries & Commerce is requested to see that no further presentations of Silk fabrics should be made at the Govt Silk Filature, Kollegal by the Officers in charge thereof without obtaining

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~~this prior sanction~~ [illegible]

3. The Government permit the DZ to C. [illegible] to dispose of at market rate the stock of silk fabrics of the value of Rs. 656-0-3 now on hand

~~Appendix~~ Appendix
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Note:- Action on the circumstances stated by the DZ to C in his letter at p. 1 ✓. The action of the General Manager, G.S.F, Kollepara in having purchased fabrics over and above the authorised limit of Rs 5,000/- may be approved. The request of the DZ to C at 'c' on p. 1 ✓ may also be accepted. Subject to orders a draft order is submitted above for approval. It may be sent to Finance for acceptance

CPS 19.1.48 JS

Dev. No. No. 4687 DZ/48 20/1/48

Finance (Exp. B)

The draft order may be accepted subject to the amendments indicated in pencil and subject to the following remarks:-

It is suggested by Finance Secy. on p. 5 N.F. of

RT TO CO... Cs 3769 EB

g.o.

G.O.No.4168 Devt. d/7-11-46, it was pointed out to the Director of Industries and Commerce that his action in arranging for the manufacture of silk fabrics in anticipation of the sanction of Govt. was irregular--See para 2 of the G.O. It was made clear to the D.I & C. that such a course was not ordinarily permissible, unless it was a matter of such great urgency that it was impossible to get the sanction of the Govt. in time and it was certain that the expenditure was so essential that the Govt. would agree to it in due course. It, however, appears that purchases were again made to the extent of Rs.252-8-9 in January 1947. This is clearly in contravention of the orders in the G.O. mentioned above.

The Govt. approved in the above G.O. of the presentation of small pieces of the fabrics to distinguished and leading personalities who visited the filatures. From the list on p.5 C.F., it will be seen that presentations of two sarees which, cannot be regarded as 'small pieces' have been made. Again, Kerchiefs were presented by the Director of Industries & Commerce to his personal clerk and the Manager of the Filatures to the Fuel Economy Officer. The presentation made to these Govt. servants is not in conformity with A above.

As, however, the Director has stated that the purchase of the fabrics referred to at B above was done under the oral approval of Mr. Khaleeli, the then Director who has since Gone to Pakistan and that he has also instructed the Sericultural Expert, Kollegal, who is now in charge of the Government Silk Filature not to make any further presentations (See also para 2 of the draft), it does not seem that any further action need be taken now.

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Dev (DZ) Department

To AS

Please see the notes of the ~~Fin Deptt~~ Finance Deptt. at pp. 2-4 above wherein the draft order at pp 1-2 above has been accepted by that Deptt subject to the amendments indicated therein and subject to the remarks on p. 3 ~~of~~ above. That Department have however stated 'M' on p. 3 above that it does not ~~no~~ further action in pursuance of their remarks needs be taken now. The draft order as amended by that Deptt. may therefore ~~xxx~~ now come

Sd/- 3/2/48
5/2/48

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[Issued as G.O. No 54 J Dev Dy 5-2-48] pp 7-8 ante

Clerk